MYSORE DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 25th February 1940.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification dated 25th February 1940, published on pages 434-437, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 29th February 1940, regarding tenders for constructing a girder bridge across the Suvarnavati river near Chandakavadi at 3/6 of Hondrabal-Chamarajanagar Road, Chamarajnagar Taluk.

The last date for lodging of tender is 15th March 1940 up to 12 NOON.

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MANDYA DIVISION.

Notification dated 7th March 1940.

1. Sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Mandya Division, up to 12 NOON on 1st April 1940, for constructing one block of 4 line men's quarters at Maddur.

2. Tenders in the prescribed form obtainable from the Office of the Executive Engineer, Mandya Division, on payment of annas four per form should be addressed to the Executive Engineer, Mandya Division, in a sealed cover and superscribed as "Tender for constructing one block of 4 line men's quarters at Maddur." The name of the tenderer should also be superscribed on the top of the cover.

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 185 (in words) Rupees one hundred and eighty-five only paid to the Treasury to the credit of "17 (a) P. W. Deposits" against the account of Executive Engineer, Mandya Division. The earnest money of the successful tenderer will be retained as security deposit for the due fulfilment of the contract. Such a deposit in cash will not carry any interest.

4. The tenders will be opened in the presence of such tenderers who wish to be present on 1st April 1940 at Mandya Division. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the Superintending Engineer, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender, or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any.

5. The name of the successful tenderer will be posted on the Notice Board in the Executive Engineer's office in due course. Within eight days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful tenderer will be required to execute an agreement in the Departmental Schedule Contract Form, for the due fulfilment of the contract, and for the execution of all items of work in accordance with the Bombay specifications (1931), and also furnish a security deposit of Rs. 185 in addition to earnest money.

6. Failure to comply with the conditon 5 above or to agree to carry out the work in accordance with the specifications and agreements in force will entail forfeiture of the earnest money.

7. The earnest money of rejected tenders will be returned on submission of the receipt originally granted, along with an application to the Executive Engineer.

8. Copies of contract documents, schedules and drawings may be seen at any time at the Executive Engineer's Office, Mandya, on all working days, between 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

9. Specific rates should be given for each item in the schedule accompanying the tender and the rates should be in rupees, annas and pies and expressed in words and figures. Tenders offering a percentage reduction on the estimate amount will be rejected.

10. Any rates or lumsump amounts for the items not called for, if tendered by the tenderer, will not be taken notice of. The rates for such items may be entered in a separate schedule with date and reasons for the same.

11. No alterations which are made by the tenderers in the tender form in the nomenclature of the items of work will be recognised and if corrections are made, the tenders are liable to rejection.

12. There should be no alterations or erasures in the tenders in the rates of items and any corrections made in the rates should be attested to and the number of corrections, if any, in each page noted at the foot of the same by the tenderer.

13. No reference should be made to the Public Works Department schedule of rates.

14. In the event of the tender being submitted by a firm, it must be signed separately and severally by each member thereof or in the event of absence of any partner, it must be signed on his behalf by a person holding power-of-attorney authorising him to do so.

15. When once the rates tendered have been accepted, they will not be revised under any circumstances. In regard to items of work not tendered, the rates for the same will be calculated by the Executive Engineer on the basis of current rates for materials and labour with a contractor's profit of 5 per cent as may be approved by the Superintending Engineer. This shall be final and legally binding on the tenderer.

16. The quantities given in the Schedule are only approximate and the drawings shown to he contractor are only tentative and are liable to alterations, omissions, deductions or additions,